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Serial Nos

Part B for Feb 21

SUBJECT.

Succession of Gangadharaswami to the Hosamanamana Jain Math at Sivaganga

C.L. Ramaswamy Iyengar, Dewan Deputy Revenue Secretary R.O. 2682-5 dt 8.2.20.

Accordingly approved, etc.

WD 2233—GPB—20,000—14 6 20

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FILE HEADING.

Appointment of a Jurar to Hannanamana gani matt at Sivaganga, Nelcanaigala Taluk.

From

The Dy. Commr, Bangalore Dist.,

No. C.C. 2690 Dated 22-11-10 Received

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Recommends sanction to the succession of Ganapaciraya Jurar to Hannanamana gani matt and the property thereof being made over to him, and reports that his name is borne on the list in the post, that a great majority of disciples approve of his succession

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and that it is probable that he (his name) may in his desire to appoint [illegible]

1) Muz. D. No 181 – 1905 on the subject, is submitted

2) The Dy. Commr's. letter explains the facts of the case

Submitted

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7. On 29 August 1906, Court passed the following order regarding the allegation that Gangadharaswamy had been given Asrama by the previous Mathadipathi Veeraswami:—

8 From the Dy Comm's report received in this office soon after the death of the Priest, it is quite clear that the Priest died without giving Asrama to any one. Even if he had

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done so it was against the Govt order dated the 14th December 1892 which lays down rules for the succession of Gurus & Mutts. The petn of Veeraya on behalf of his minor son who alleges that Arpana had been given to his son by the deceased Priest and prays that his succession may be recognized deserves therefore no consideration. For the same reason the petn of Cheen Veera Pandia and others who pray for the recognition of Sanga Marawani above referred to is also rejected".

2. In a subsequent order dated 24-11-1906, Govt made the following observations:—

"Taking all these circumstances into consideration, the Govt regret that they cannot believe that the Minor actually received Arpana from the deceased Priest. They are not inclined to say any thing now either for or against the succession of the Minor. Both the contending parties should come to an amicable

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Settlement between themselves and unanimously select a proper person to succeed to the Mutt, such a selection of course being subject to the approval of Govt."

" of 14 years, the Dy Commr has sends a report

(1) that it is quite possible that the deceased Swamy expressed a wish that the Minor Gangadharaswami shall be his successor

(2) that the Gowdamane people state that they are aware of this fact, while the Swamy also possibly does this

(3) that the servants of Sankaracharya Swamy (temple) State that "Padadam" was taken from the temple at the time of the installation of the present Swami

(4) that a good number of people had assembled on the ... and that a great majority of them were in favour of the present Swami — many had expressed their approval as their guru

(5) that Gangadharaswami being

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is reported by the Auditor to be learned and put for the post

12 The Dy Comm recommends that the succession of Gangadhareswara Swami may be approved.

13 The facts which existed in 1906 still continue and no unanimity in the views of the disciples regarding the succession to the Mutt can be hoped for. Notwithstanding the views expressed by some in 1906 about the Guruship of Nirvana the succession of Gangadhareswara Swami may be approved; as has been reported he has been doing the duties of Guru and if the majority of the disciples of this Mutt are Gauda Sarasvat people and they admit that the late Swami gave expression to his wish that Gangadharaswara should succeed him as stated in the Dy Comm's letter.

Second Memo. 16/12/20

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17-12-20.

14 The report has been received after a lapse of [illegible] years, at the point which existed in 1906 there is nothing also

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If the two factions have ad-
been able during this long period
become ban amicable arrangement
between themselves as regards the
Successorin it is Extremely unlikely
that they ever will. The report of
the SDO who held the personal
Enquiry in 1918 makes the position
the supports the recommendation
made by the Officers who held Enquiries
previously to him. In the light of
this unanimous recommendation
& the circumstances that the disturbances
are in a small minority, it seems
to me that the Successorin now
recommended may be formally
recognised -

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Revel
18.12.20
18/12

DEWAN'S OFFICE.
Recd. on DEC 20 1920
Reg. No. 4326

I agree. I don't suppose
16 there is any necessity to rush in
giving Honourable Assent.
I do not think that I can
confirm

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7-1-21

Ly For Re-draft as revised
ACMT 10/1/21

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Re-draft Revenue
M 10-1-21. ACMT 11-1-21.

Revenue U

What is the status of this matt and what are the reasons suggested it? Please furnish this information Comm
U 11/1/21
ACMT 11/1/21

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Recd 12-1-21

Flag X
(in the U. Recd).

U The matt is redrawn with land measuring 68-0 sq. yds. as per sketch at P 13.
Ly There is no information about the status of the matt.
Revenue
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15-1-21 17/1/21
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24 Draft is

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M(a) 2 File No. 95 of 1920

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1	Submitted. The matter does not seem to be an unsuitable one for any High Status Pandit. May the order issue without submission to His Highness' Second Member. U/f 15/1/21
	3718-1 17.1.21.
	24.1.21
2.	To, V.C. Bangalore, Commr, Dharwar, Supdt of Survey, S & E. No. 2682-5 dy 8.2.21 approving the succession of Gangadhara Swami to the Hombala-mara Gavi Math at Sivaganga & directing the allotment to him of the properties of the Math.

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From The Deputy Commr
Bangalore.

To The Secy to Govt
Bangalore.

Dated 20-11-20

Despatched 22-11-20

Received

General No. CC. 2650-17-18
No.

Enclosure No.

Re the Swamis to be appointed
to the Honnavinamaligas
Mutt of Nelamangala Tq.

Forward the connected
Cowaramulu file.

I am of opinion that the
Succession of Gangadhara
Swamis will be approved
by the Mysore Govt

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,

Bangalore District,

No.... Dated Bangalore, 22nd November 192C

From

M.A.Narayana Iyengar, Esq., B.A.,B.L.,

Deputy Commissioner,

Bangalore District.

To

T.E.Jayarama Iyer, Esq., B.A., B.L.,

Secretary to the Government of His Highness

the Maharaja of Mysore, Muzrai Department,

Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.3499 dated 16th January 1907 re the succession of a Guru to Honnammanagavi Matta at Sivaganga in Nelamangala Taluk,I have the honor to state that the Dodballapur Sub-Division Officer who held the enquiry reports,that the dispute is chiefly due to the inducement of the so-called Agent Revanna of Malina Matt. The Swami of the Honnammanagavi Matt was generally selected from Gowdamane people(i.e.the cultivating class). The followers of the matt mostly are of that sect. The usual practice of succession in the Matt was that the Swami should nominate his successor before his demise. The succession to the matt is said to have been in one and the same family for a very long time. As such it is quite possible that the deceased Chennaveera Swami gave his expression just before his death, that the minor Gangadhara Swami should be his successor. The Gowdamane people say that they were aware of this fact but Sivagangapete people deny this. The servants of Sri Gangadhareswara Swami temple also say that "Prasadam" was taken from the temple at the time of the installation of the present swami.

2. The matt has its disciples all over the Bangalore and Tumkur Districts and a good many of them had assembled in a meeting before the Amildar. The question of succession was then considered and a great majority of them approved the present Gangadharaswami to continue as their Guru. This Gangadharaswami is reported by the Amildar to be learned and fit for the post.

3. Under these circumstances I am of opinion that the su cession of Gangadharaswami to Honnammanagavi Matt may be -- approved and the property belonging to the Matt made over to him.

4. The entire Vernacular records are herewith submitted.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant.

Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore District.

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Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Date of issue 15-2-21

Signed by Mr. J. [illegible]

Read—

Govt Rso no 1455 6 dy 29th Jan-21 regg under S refusing the offer of the Honorary Magistracy

Order Thereon—No.

May this be

i Printed ?

ii treated as a standing order ?

iii published in the Gazette, English Part ?

iv translated ?

v placed at the disposal of the press ?

vi published in the Gazette, Kannada Part ?

having views regarding the ~~appointment~~
succession to the Head ship
of the Mathadipati had fallen vacant by the
(3) Correspondence ending with demise of the
letter no. 2690 dy 22-11-1920 previous
from the Dy Com. Bangalore dt. 17 Aug 1906.
Dist., recommending that
the succession to Ganachara Mathi
as per rule of the Math may
be approved as a great
majority of the people
of the Math have attested
his conduct & character
& are willing ~~to~~ the
to recognise the learned
qualities of his pupil in the succession
under their own
Rules

List of enclosures.

Under the circumstances
reported, I am
pleased to accord sanction
to the succession of
Angadhara Swami
to the Hosmane Mahasansthan Math.

Copied by

Examined by

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at Sivaganga, and to direct the restoration to the proprietors of the Natt Tahsil under the management of the Amildar under Govt. order of August 1906 read above.

Revised DG

WJ 11/1/21

Mrs. Secretary

RA 10/1/21

11-1-21

To,

The Dy. Comm.

Ramnad